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A Study on Second Language Speaking Anxiety among Upm Students



Abstract

A research was conducted to evaluate students' views of the terror they have encountered in the second language by University Putra Malaysia. In specific, students' apprehension of the second language of English was examined, and the forms of speech practices that induced high levels of distress in the students were established. The research targeted at students. Amongst the variables observed were avoidance of touch, fear of unfavourable judgment, and general feelings of anxiety. The methodology for the trial was modified from the Fear Scale (FLCAS), a foreign language school. The questionnaires consist of 32 objects, each of which varies from "broad consensus" to "extreme disagreement" on a 5 point Likert scale. The collected data were evaluated by SPSS version 10.0 Windows and described in detailed statistics that include percentages and average. Results from the study indicate a modest degree of anxiety between students.

Keywords: foreign language classroom anxiety scale (FLCAS), fear of negative evaluation, communication apprehension, and anxiety

JEL Codes: I2, I21, I29



Brexit: Does it Pose a Multi-factorial Impact on Immigration and the UK Economy?

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Abstract

This study seeks to understand the impact of Brexit on immigration as well as on the UK economy. In the first part, immigration has been discussed as the strong background of the Brexit referendum. Immigration induced inconveniences along with the feeling of sovereignty intensified the call for the Brexit referendum. However, the major impact of Brexit (after the referendum) on immigration is the EU immigration trend tends to go down from 2016 to the present. The reason is probably a foretaste of the UK government to harden the immigration system for EU nationals through Brexit. A political uncertainty posed by the Brexit issue also fueled the unsteady situation in wage rate and demotivated the immigrants to stay in the UK or to immigrate there. In the meanwhile, the flow of Non-EU immigrants found its peak by rising to 379,000 in September 2019. The second part upholds that the UK economy is predicted to face a challenge to rejuvenate the economy after Brexit. It is found that the reduced immigration through Brexit notion may reduce the GDP of the UK by a significant percentage for a long time after Brexit. Moreover, it compresses the size of the labor force in the UK economy. For instance, EU and Non-EU nationals working in the UK increased meagerly since the referendum. The final part analyzes the policy decisions after Brexit and its impact on future immigration. Analyses show that Britain is probably going to attract mainly the high skilled immigrants through introducing a point-based immigration system. As a result, Brexit will be fruitful for the UK in making opportunities for innovation and invention in science, health, and technology by skilled immigrants. However, it will harm the rights of the EU immigrants especially those who are low skilled workers. As the UK is passing the transition period, there is time and scope to customize the settings of legislation through negotiations and policy deployment. Such steps will destine the fate of immigrants from the EU and Non-EU countries in the post Brexit era.

Keywords: brexit, immigration, The EU, The UK, economic impact, Migration

JEL Codes: F2,F20,F22



Reinterpreting Flood: Studying the Historical Implication of Koshi Flood in Northern Bihar

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Flood is one of the most significant natural hazards, and people living in flood zone always face the event of flood during monsoon in India. This paper assesses the historical impacts of Koshi flood, particularly 'The Killed' and 'The Billed', in Northern Bihar. The aftermath of severe floods in the past has been assessed with the help of quantitative methods. The study is based on the secondary database. Lack of services, fragile living, and disadvantaged groups make people vulnerable to flood in the Koshi region of Bihar. The present study also tries to analyses the geographical problem of River Koshi in the northern plain of Bihar. This study will help realistic assessment of flood impact in the region. The focus area comprises of Madhubani, Darbhanga, Supaul, Saharsa, Khagaria, Madhepura, Araria, Katihar, Purnia and Bhagalpur districts of northern Bihar.

Keywords: flood hazard, flood history, koshi river, northern plains of bihar, flood impact

JEL Codes: B00, B15



Teaching and Learning the Grammar of the English Language Plays a Crucial Role in the Context of EFL/ESL

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Abstract

The grammatical competence of the English language plays a crucial role in the progress of language mastering. However, it is noted that the position of grammar is still underestimated in various EFL/ESL contexts, and grammar-oriented exams are explicit in practice rather than communicative instruction. As a consequence, many EFL/ESL learners are shown to be successful at grammar but yet cannot articulate fluently and precisely. The purpose of this paper is therefore to address grammar teaching, including the concepts and priorities of grammar teaching. It also discusses the positions and responsibilities of grammar in communicative language teaching (CLT) in the context of EFL/ESL. This paper also proposes several pedagogical consequences for teaching grammar in the sense of the EFL/ESL. This paper is hoped to contribute its part to highlight the role of grammar in the CLT and to shed more light on the inclusion of grammar teaching in the sense of the EFL/ESL.

Keywords: EFL/ESL context; communicative language teaching; grammar; grammar Teaching

JEL Code: Z13



Agreements of Love and Friendship in the Merchant of Venice

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This paper discusses the connection between the two forms of relationship: contractual and non-contractual. Merchant of Venice highlights the effects of contract for the safeguard of the city of Venice and at the same time focuses the harsh effects alliance and agreement of love and friendship. This is evident in the decisions, actions, and relationships of Antonio, Bassanio, Portia, and Jessica. Although Shakespeare concludes the play on a happy note, in the conclusion one can reach is that, despite its advantages, regimes based on commerce and contract fail to create the conditions for friendship and love to flourish.

Keywords: agreement, love, shakespeare, the merchant of venice

JEL Codes: F1, F2, F3, F4, F5, F6



The concept of Focalization in Sahar Khalifeh's Muðakirat Imra'atin yeiru Waqeatin: A Narrative Discourse Analysis

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In this study, the researcher aims at analyzing the Arabic discourse in the light of feminist novelist, Sahar khalifeh's novel "Mu ð alkirat Imra'atin veiru Waqeatin" linguistically. The researcher employed the one element of the feminist narrative discourse analysis "focalization" to investigate how the protagonist "Afaf" presents the concept of love in the Palestinian society according to the social and cultural values. Relying on Genettee's theory of narrative discourse, the researcher deployed the technique of narrative discourse analysis "Focalization" to investigate how the protagonist, Afaf used her point of view to introduces her painful suffer because of her love and how she was forced to marry another man because love is a crime due to the outdated conventions, Additionally, she depended on the first person pronoun to present her struggles with the clout and influence of the masculine society on her life. Consequently, this study is considered as the first one focusing on analyzing the narrative discourse of the Palestinian Arabic discourse from a linguistic narrative perspective. The result shows that Khalifeh innovatively utilized her feminist narrative discourse to tackle feminist issues in Palestinian society.

Keywords: A feminist narrative discourse - Sahar Khalieh - focalization - Muðakira:t Imra'atin yeiru Waqeatin

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Introduction of Independent Education in Foreign Language Classes and its Challenges

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Improving the quality not just of primary schools but also of middle schools, the birthplace of our country's fundamental skills, such that their curriculum is up-to-date, lifts it to global levels and contributes by international languages to the world's culture. There are broader circumstances and better chances to present the world more thoroughly and truthfully and share both our successes and best deeds since independence. The exponential proliferation of data flows, developments in research and technological growth, news, expanded accessibility for international languages, and knowledge and communication technologies are all accessible only in the classroom as part of the globalization phase. We also realize now that the key answer to this issue is private schooling. Individual schooling. The level of information, skills, and skills that students need to improve in education and education is therefore essential to focus on. It is a type of intellectual, spiritual activity that aims to form knowledge about society, nature, and oneself, and is a too multiracial, complex, controversial process. An individual cannot succeed in any task without awareness and comprehension of the environment around us. However, he succeeds if, through his invention, he enriches all. In turn, this is an independent training that takes people of all ages to the peak of maturity. An individual will be more apt to learn the problems and overcome them.

Keywords: Independent learning, methodological knowledge, teaching materials

JEL Codes: Z, Z13, Z19



Problems and Prospects of Street Children Schooling; an Empirical Study from Bangladesh Perspective

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Abstract

There are many reasons in the way of education for street children which are called problems in education for those children. Here wehave focused most common problems in education for street children. There are some of the issues also that should be addressed. Those problems which are not noticed yet or these problems are still avoided. Some of these problems are not deniable but still these are unsolved. If we remain unknown about these problems, then it would be very difficult to make Bangladesh as a successful and strong backboned nation. This research shows those opinions over the problems. Apart from all problems we can see and realize the possibilities and prospects in education for street children in Bangladesh. Because not only Bangladesh government but also our young educated conscious generation are concerned in the education for street children in Bangladesh which can help to build a specious Bangladesh.

Keywords: mobile assessment, mobile assessment tools, mobile devices, mobile learning, mlearning, chromebooks



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We announce our findings on the success and connection of our medical student to the language of teaching. We used the strength definition inventory (FCI) as our research aid and provided it to our students in class on test materials before and after guidance. The primary language of our students is Arabic and we teach in English. Thus, both Arabic and English have been checked. This research is one aspect of a broader effort to examine our department's whole instructional mechanism (teaching and learning). The low English skills of the students were seen in the classroom. Our findings show that the output and the vocabulary used by the subject were weakly associated.

Keywords: Physics education research; Force concept inventory; Pre-medical students; English as a second language; Students' performance

JEL Codes: I2, I20, I21



Will Internationalization Influence Foreign investment Performance for China's Commercial Banks? Empirical Evidence from the Four State-Owned Commercial Banks

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The outbreak of the subprime mortgage crisis in 2008 made it necessary for European and American banking giants to shrink their international business to meet the capital needs of the head office, which provided an opportunity for China's commercial banks to develop international business. This study employs the fixed effect model to investigate the relationship between operation internationalization of commercial banks and foreign investment performance, and the dataset herein consists of Bank of China, Agricultural Bank of China, Industrial and Commercial Bank of China and China Construction Bank over the period 2008–2018. The empirical results indicate that the relationship presents a U-shaped curve and the four state-owned commercial banks have spanned over the critical thresholds, so higher degree of internationalization helps in improving the performance of foreign investment.

Keywords: Commercial banks, internationalization, foreign investment performance, fixed effect model, transcendental logarithmic cost function

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